

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 09812.0137-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Shinichiro GOMI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2624  
Application No.: 10/563,919 ) Examiner: Entezari, Michelle  
Filed: January 10, 2006 ) Confirmation No.: 5450  
For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE )  
PROCESSING METHOD, PROGRAM OF )  
IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, AND )  
RECORDING MEDIUM IN WHICH )  
PROGRAM OF IMAGE PROCESSING )  
METHOD HAS BEEN RECORDED )  
)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the  
Office Action of September 9, 2008. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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